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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Intelligence

SUBJECT : DCI and the General Advisory Committee on Disarmament

1. I had a call today from a former INR colleague (Howard Myers) who is now the staff director of the blue-ribbon disarmament committee that includes the likes of Dean Rusk, Harold Brown and John McCone. A listing of the full membership is attached.

- 2. Myers says the Committee will be in session on 6 December and will be hearing from such officials as the Secretary of Defense, Paul Nitze, Sonnenfeldt and others. It is agreed the Committee should be briefed on NIE 11-3/8 in a session to last an hour or so.
- 3. A briefer such as Howie Stoertz or Carl Duckett would be more than acceptable to the Committee but there has been some displeasure expressed by some of the Committee members over the fact that the DCI was not in attendance at the Committee's last session during any of the several Agency briefings that were provided.
- 4. The hope is that the DCI could attend this time and perhaps make some remarks at the outset of the briefing. Myers will be writing to the DCI with an invitation. (I told Myers that 6 December is PFIAB day and he is aware of the possible conflict.)

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Attachment:

Members of the General Admisory Council

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